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20. Other items or information: Express Mail Label No: EQ749137105US Notification of Application (19 pages of Specification including 3 pages of Claims and 1 page of Abstract), the Recording of a Change (1 page), Six (6) sheets of Drawings (FIGS. 1-6), PTO/SB/08A&B with 3 references (AB-AD, including International Search Report (3 pages) with Written Opinion of the International Searching Authority (5 pages)), International Application WO 2005/068847 A1, and Return Receipt Postcard							
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